

# the empowerment center

a place to center mind, body and spirit.



A Wholistic Human Services Organization  
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Topic: Donations and Distribution over the Holiday Season

Dear Supporter:

Empowerment Center along with the Town of Capitol Heights, MENding Families, Love + Art = Wellness, Community, Health and Environment Committee (CHEC), Education/TV Committee (EDUC/TV, I Am IT, and BeUnlimited are partnering to offer food baskets for residents of the Town of Capitol Heights and the wider area of Prince George's County, Maryland. This big day is Saturday, November 21 from 12 noon and 3:00 pm at the Town of Capitol Heights, 1 Capitol Heights Blvd., Capitol Heights, MD 20743.

Our Day of Thanks partnership is requesting food donations to offer at least 50 food baskets to needy families who are suffering from food insecurities. Our food collection days are Tuesday, November 10 from 3:00 pm and 5:00 pm and Saturday, November 14 from 12 Noon to 3:00 pm. The location for the food collection will be at the Town of Capitol Heights, 1 Capitol Heights Blvd., Capitol Heights, MD 20743. All donations given for this effort will afford the donors a tax deductible receipt for any contributions offered to this effort.

The Empowerment Center (EC), a 501©3 non-profit organization, was founded in 2004 to help communities to empower themselves and discover both personal, familial and communal resources to live, learn and grow, EC is today working in Pittsburgh, PA, Washington, DC and Prince George's County, Maryland to help individuals to recognize and maximize their social capital, strengthen total wellbeing, improve interpersonal relationships, and alliance with others. Each first Sunday, EC offers a meaningful morning empowerment meeting (non-religious/non-sectarian) for individuals of all traditions that is therapeutic, humanistic, and wholistic.

## Our Mission Statement

We structure and provide programs and services to help people maintain Quan\* in their lives because we believe that all people can achieve self-realization. \* love, respect, heart, prosperity

## Our Vision

To improve the lives of people spiritually, financially, socially, culturally, and physically.

Empowerment Center's (EC) Duns number is 193042475 and our IRS non-profit status number is 77-0652579.

I have attached the flyers for our food donation and distribution dates. Again, our goal is to feed at least 50 families in our community. We have identified 11 families that have the highest need in the Town of Capitol Heights. The request is for donations of food or financial support. Those 11 families will also receive the "gift of warmth", our direct donation through Washington Gas, which is a program currently running during the 2020 holiday season.

Please feel free to phone with any questions and updates that you about our collection day or the Day of Thanks. If you are donating, we would like to use your logo, as a supporter/sponsor, if such is allowable.

Thank you in advance for any and all assistance to this matter. I am looking forward to your response and the next steps.

Sincerely,